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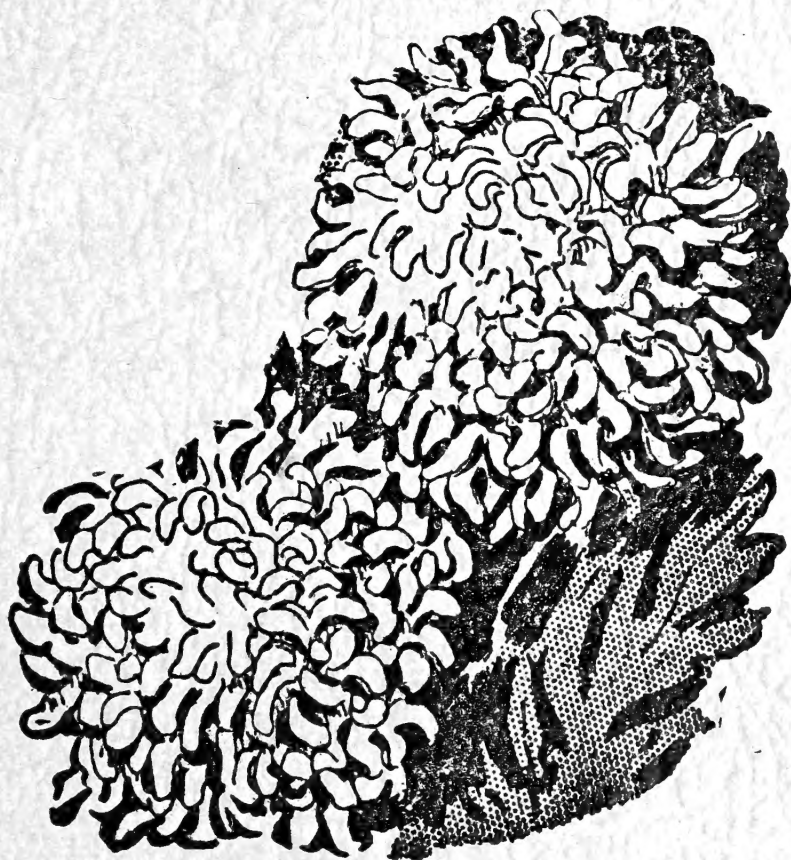
# Chrysanthemums

SHOW VARIETIES

Large Commercial Mums ♦ Fine Koreans

Hardy Chrysanthemums ♦ Cushions

Commercial Pompons



ROOTED CUTTINGS PRICED PER 100

*Quantity Prices On Request*

## WONDERLAND NURSERIES

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**WONDERLAND NURSERIES**



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Golden Majestic	2	Norma	13	William Longland	25
Golden Wedding	3	New Gold Cushion	18	White Spoon	17
Golden Pearson	3	North Star	22	Yellow Turner	2
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## *Large Flowering Commercial and Show Varieties*

### Y E L L O W

OCT. 1	
GOLD LODGE. Deep golden yellow reflexed .....	\$ 4.00
OCT. 10.	
TINTS OF GOLD. Deep yellow incurved .....	4.00
OCT. 15	
CHRYSOLORA. Large yellow incurved .....	4.00
OCT. 20	
BUTTERBALL. Large clear yellow incurved .....	8.00
OCT. 25	
HARVEST MOON. Bright yellow incurved show variety. Very large flower, exceedingly strong grower .....	20.00
OCT. 25	
MRS. H. E. KIDDER. Very desirable deep yellow incurved .....	4.00
OCT. 25	
SUNGOLD. Incurved deep golden yellow .....	6.00
OCT. 25	
BLAZING GOLD. Deep golden yellow incurved .....	4.00
OCT. 28	
BARBARA PHILLIPS. Fine glowing yellow show variety .....	16.00
OCT. 28	
GOLDEN AGE. Deep yellow reflexed show variety .....	8.00
NOV. 1	
GOLDEN GLORY. Popular yellow incurved .....	6.00
NOV. 1	
GOLDEN MAJESTIC. Huge show variety .....	20.00
NOV. 1	
J. R. BOOTH. Deep yellow show variety .....	16.00
NOV. 5	
YELLOW TURNER. Bright yellow incurved .....	6.00
NOV. 5	
COL. F. M. ALGER. Deep yellow show variety .....	8.00

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Minimum order \$4.00

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Varieties*

## Y E L L O W

NOV. 10		
GOLDEN WEDDING.	Golden yellow reflexed.....	6.00
NOV. 15		
COLUMBUS DISPATCH.	Deep yellow incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 15		
FRIENDLY RIVAL.	Deep chrome yellow incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 20		
MARIE DE PETRIS.	Deep yellow incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 25		
SUNGOLD.	Lemon yellow incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 25		
GOLDEN PEARSON.	Yellow incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 25		
HARVESTER.	Deep canary yellow.....	10.00
DEC. 10		
GOLDEN MISTLETOE.	Golden yellow standard.....	6.00
DEC. 10		
METEORE.	Very fine yellow incurved.....	8.00

## W H I T E

OCT. 15		
QUAKER MAID.	White tinged with pink.....	\$ 4.00
OCT. 18		
SILVER SHEEN.	Most popular white incurved.....	4.00
OCT. 23		
AMBASSADOR.	Creamy white incurved.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
WHITE CHIEF.	Very fine white incurved.....	6.00
OCT. 28		
IVORY WHITE.	Pure waxy white incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
ALBATROSS.	White incurved .....	6.00

## *Large Flowering Commercial and Show Varieties*

### W H I T E

NOV. 1		
OCONTO.	Pure white incurved.....	6.00
NOV. 1		
MRS. HENRY ROBINSON.	Very fine white incurved.....	6.00
NOV. 1		
SNOW WHITE.	Popular white incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
BETSY ROSS.	Purest white incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 5		
WHITE TURNER (WM. TURNER).	Incurved .....	6.00
NOV. 8		
WHITE POCKETT.	Large incurved show variety.....	8.00
NOV. 8		
INDIANAPOLIS WHITE.	Fine white incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 15		
MONUMENT.	Large white incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 18		
MARKETEER.	Large white incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 25		
MISS FLORA BOWERS.	Huge waxy white .....	8.00
DEC. 10		
WHITE MISTLETOE.	Late white incurved.....	6.00
DEC. 10		
DECEMBER WHITE.	White standard.....	8.00
DEC. 10		
MARGARET MOELLER.	Fine white incurved.....	10.00

### P I N K

OCT. 15		
ROSEUM.	Large deep pink incurved.....	6.00
OCT. 15		
PINK CHIEF.	Bright rose pink incurved.....	6.00

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Varieties*

P I N K

OCT. 20		
OCTOBER ROSE.	Pink incurved	6.00
OCT. 20		
MAJOR EDWARD BOWES.	Deep lavender incurved	4.00
OCT. 20		
JUSTRITE.	Deep rose pink incurved	6.00
OCT. 25		
ENCHANTRESS.	True rose pink incurved	4.00
OCT. 28		
EVENING STAR.	Deep rose pink	6.00
OCT. 28		
PINK DELIGHT.	Deep rose pink	6.00
NOV. 1		
LADY KNOX.	Very fine exhibition variety	16.00
NOV. 5		
MANHATTAN.	Tremendous blood red show variety	20.00
NOV. 5		
PINK TURNER.	Pale pink incurved	6.00
NOV. 5		
J. L. DAVIS.	Deep pink show variety	8.00
NOV. 8		
INDIANAPOLIS PINK.	Fine pink incurved	4.00
NOV. 8		
VERMONT.	Fine deep lavender incurved	12.00
NOV. 20		
DR. ENGUEHARD.	Fine deep pink incurved	4.00
NOV. 25		
HELEN FRICK.	Rose pink incurved	4.00
NOV. 30		
EDWIN SEIDEWITZ.	Lavender pink incurved	4.00
DEC. 10		
PINK MISTLETOE.	Pink standard	6.00

## *Large Flowering Commercial and Show Varieties*

### R E D B R O N Z E

OCT. 1		
WHITTLESAY.	Fine velvet red. Reflexed.....	6.00
OCT. 10		
INDIANOLA.	Reddish bronze incurved .....	6.00
OCT. 20		
COUNTRY MAIDEN.	Huge incurved apricot show variety .....	20.00
OCT. 25		
ALAMEDA.	Fine incurved bronze. Good pot variety .....	12.00
OCT. 25		
GRACE STURGIS.	Huge red show variety. Incurved .....	8.00
OCT. 25		
HILDA BERGEN.	Deep reddish bronze. Incurved.....	4.00
OCT. 28		
KEYSTONE.	Rich bronze. Incurved.....	6.00
OCT. 28		
DR. J. M. INGLIS.	Deep wine red. Incurved.....	8.00
NOV. 1		
APRICOT QUEEN.	Deep orange. Incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
DETROIT NEWS.	Reddish bronze incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 5		
GLENVIEW.	Deep red incurved.....	8.00
NOV. 5		
FAUST.	Deep blood red show variety. Very fine.....	20.00
NOV. 5		
CAMBRIA.	Large bronze closely incurved.....	6.00
NOV. 8		
INDIANAPOLIS BRONZE.	Fine bronze incurved.....	4.00
NOV. 15		
ANACONDA.	Large red incurved.....	6.00
NOV. 15		
MRS. DAVID F. ROY.	Crimson large incurved.....	6.00

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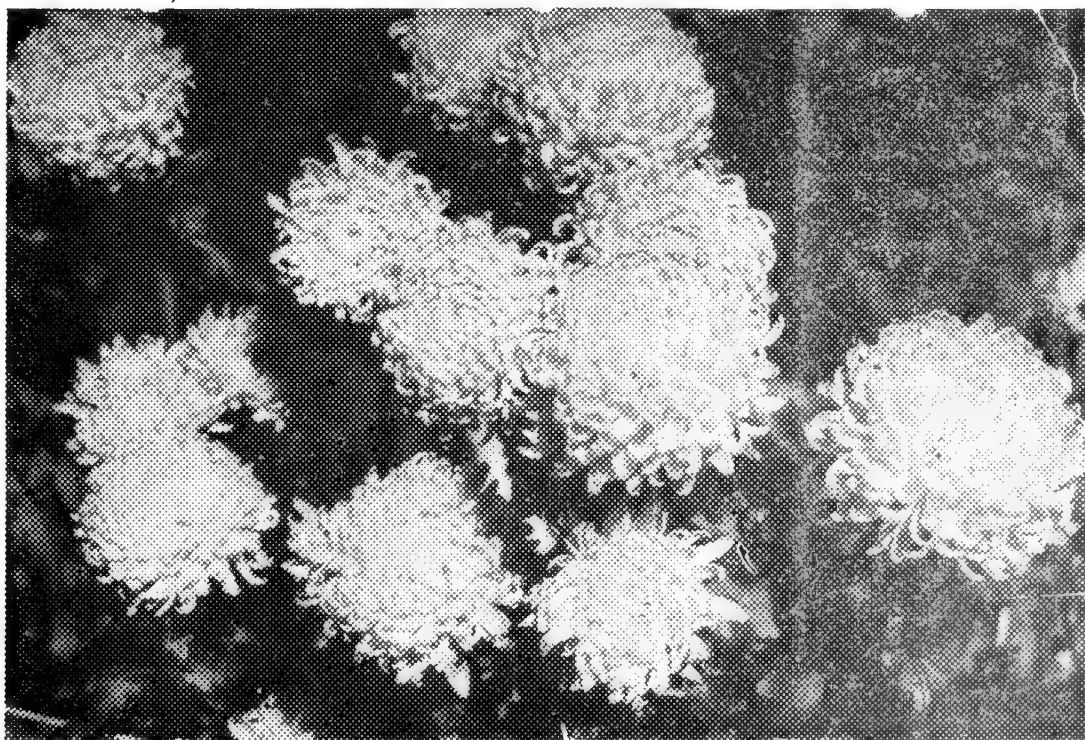
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Varieties*

RED BRONZE

NOV. 15	
BRUTUS. Large red incurved show variety.....	20.00
NOV. 18	
GARNET KING. Very deep red reflexed .....	6.00
NOV. 25	
OAK LEAF. Deep bronze incurved .....	4.00
NOV. 25	
GLADYS PEARSON. Buff incurved. Very popular .....	4.00
NOV. 30	
MOHAWK CHIEF. Very fine deep red .....	6.00
DEC. 10.	
BRONZE MISTLETOE. Late bronze standard .....	6.00



LARGE FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Our plants are priced per 100. Not less than 25 of a variety sold.  
Minimum order \$4.00

*Pompons, Single and Anemone Varieties*

We suggest you turn to Hardy Varieties for other good cut flower items. Many fine single and pompon varieties are listed as hardy.

**Y E L L O W**

OCT. 20		
YELLOW HAMMER.	Golden yellow pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 20		
RODELL IMP.	Short pompon of good color and substance .....	4.00
OCT. 25		
GOLD FINCH.	Tall deep yellow pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
GOLDEN SPRAY.	Deep yellow pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
YELLOW DOT.	Well known shading pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
PENELOPE.	Fine yellow button. Good stems.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
YELLOW SEA GULL.	Lemon yellow. Tall strong grower	4.00
NOV. 1		
YELLOW DAISY.	Deep lemon yellow daisy.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
MARY LENNON HALL.	Tall deep yellow pompon. Very popular .....	4.00
NOV. 1		
YELLOW DOTY.	Large yellow pompon.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
GOLDEN CHARM.	Deep golden pompon. Very hardy. Blooms a bit earlier than date listed.....	10.00
NOV. 1		
YELLOW BUCKINGHAM.	Well known daisy type.....	4.00
NOV. 5		
NUGGETS.	Deep yellow button. Very popular.....	4.00
NOV. 5		
BARCAROLE.	Fine deep yellow pompon.....	10.00

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## Y E L L O W

NOV. 5		
YELLOW ANEMONE.	Pure deep yellow form of this popular variety. Heavy producer. Excellent keeper .....	4.00
NOV. 10		
GEM.	A tall stronger Nuggets. Good firm flowers ..	4.00
NOV. 10		
HELIOS.	Deep golden yellow anemone. Good disbudded ..	4.00
NOV. 15		
PRINCETON.	Very fine deep orange pompon .....	4.00
NOV. 20		
GOLDEN EMBLEM.	Golden yellow pompon .....	10.00
NOV. 25		
WONDERLAND GOLD.	Golden yellow pompon. Strong grower .....	8.00
NOV. 25		
GOLDEN SCEPTRE.	Tall fine pompon .....	4.00
NOV. 25		
SUNNYSIDE.	Golden yellow pompon .....	6.00
NOV. 25		
GOLDSMITH.	Large yellow pompon of good keeping quality .....	4.00
NOV. 28		
APRICOT VALENCIA.	Buff yellow single .....	6.00
DEC. 5		
CHRISTMAS GOLD.	Fine yellow button .....	4.00
DEC. 5		
YELLOW CAMEO.	Deep yellow pompon .....	10.00
DEC. 10		
YELLOW SUPREME.	Large yellow anemone .....	4.00
DEC. 10		
SAN DIEGO.	Excellent yellow pompon .....	4.00
DEC. 15		
YELLOW GARZA.	Yellow anemone .....	4.00



*Pompons, Single and Anemone Varieties*

## Y E L L O W

DEC. 20		
VIBRANT.	Deep yellow pompon.....	4.00
DEC. 30		
YELLOW SNOW.	Large yellow pompon.....	4.00

## R E D A N D B R O N Z E

OCT. 15		
GOBLIN.	Fine bronze pompon. Also listed under hardy varieties. Strong producer, good for shading.....	6.00
OCT. 25		
CAVALIER.	Bright dazzling red single.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
BRONZE BUCKINGHAM.	Bronze single, very much in demand .....	4.00
NOV. 1		
RED DAISY.	Tall strong grower.....	4.00
NOV. 5		
CHINA ROSE.	Very showy red-bronze anemone.....	4.00
NOV. 8		
THE TITAN.	Bright scarlet red anemone. Good disbudded. Very fine show variety.....	4.00
NOV. 10		
LIGHTHOUSE.	Very striking red single .....	4.00
NOV. 10		
RED MELBA.	Fine red single. Good disbudded.....	4.00
NOV. 15		
ESTRELITA.	Very fine bronze-gold show anemone.....	6.00
NOV. 15		
BRONZE MASTERPIECE.	Rosewood bronze pompon....	4.00
NOV. 20		
SUNBURST.	A worthwhile late red pompon.....	4.00
NOV. 25		
CRIMSON GLOW.	Deep red anemone. Good for late benching .....	4.00

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## RED AND BRONZE

NOV. 28		
ARGO.	Orange bronze pompon.....	8.00
DEC. 15		
SARONG.	Crimson scarlet single.....	4.00
DEC. 25		
HASAGAWA RED.	Crimson scarlet single.....	4.00

## WHITE

OCT. 15		
WHITE JEWEL.	Popular white button.....	4.00
OCT. 15		
SILVER BALL.	Fine white pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 15		
IRENE.	Favorite white button.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
PINOCCHIO.	Small white pompon.....	10.00
OCT. 25		
MINONG.	Fine tall white pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 28		
ARCADIA.	Tall white pompon. Hard to beat.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
SEA GULL.	Very fine pompon. Cream white.....	4.00
NOV. 1		
FRANCES SCHOEN PARK.	One of the most exquisite and largest Anemones we have ever had the pleas- ure of offering our trade. Color is a pure dazzling white, a very heavy grower, perfect form and foli- age, unexcelled for exhibition purposes with indi- vidual flowers six inches or more across.....	12.00
NOV. 1		
WHITE DOTY.	Pure white pompons. Tall strong grower	4.00
NOV. 5		
WHITE ANEMONE.	Good disbudding variety .....	4.00

*Pompons, Single and Anemone Varieties*

## W H I T E

NOV. 8		
ILLINI GLORY.	Very popular large white single.....	4.00
NOV. 10		
VESPER.	Fine white pompon.....	6.00
NOV. 20		
MATCHLESS.	Large white pompon.....	10.00
NOV. 20		
SEAFOAM.	Choice white pompon.....	6.00
NOV. 25		
THE BELLE.	Pure white with high cushion.....	4.00
DEC. 5		
CAMEO.	Ivory white pompon.....	6.00
DEC. 15		
WHITE GARZA.	Late anemone.....	4.00
DEC. 25		
WHITE WONDERLAND.	A finer white would be hard to find. Heavy flowers with overlaid rows of waxy white petals. Fine keeper.....	8.00
DEC. 30		
REVELATION.	Fine white pompon.....	6.00

## P I N K

OCT. 15		
JEWEL.	Best early pink pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 15		
VELVET JEWEL.	Deep velvet red-pink pompon. A dis- tinctly outstanding new introduction.....	10.00
OCT. 20		
CAPT. COOK.	Very fine tall pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 20		
ERMALINDA.	Beautiful tall firm pompon.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
PINK POPCORN.	Great masses of flowers on strong stems.....	4.00
OCT. 25		
PINK DOT.	Popular pink pompon.....	4.00

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## P I N K

OCT. 25		
PINK DOTY. (LILLIAN DOTY). Pale rose.....		4.00
OCT. 25		
BETTY ROSE. We have never seen a more beautiful lavender anemone. Most beautiful under cloth or glass. Fine branching habits .....		4.00
NOV. 1		
ROSE CHARM. Very large pompon. Flowers are firm and compact. Extra strong grower.....		4.00
NOV. 3		
NEW PINK BUCKINGHAM. Truly a superior Bucking- ham .....		4.00
NOV. 5		
ROSE MADDER. Fine dark pink anemone .....		6.00
NOV. 10		
SILVER TIPS. Very popular pink pompon.....		6.00
NOV. 10		
THYRA. Deep pink pompon. An excellent variety.....		4.00
NOV. 15		
MASTERPIECE. Favorite pink pompon for this date.....		4.00
NOV. 15		
ORCHID BEAUTY. Deep orchid anemone with yellow cushion. Very fine producer .....		4.00
NOV. 18		
NORMA. Well liked anemone. Large when disbudded....		4.00
NOV. 18		
USONA. Deep pink pompon .....		4.00
NOV. 25		
MINUET. Rose pink pompon .....		8.00
NOV. 25		
HASAGAWA PINK. Deep rose single that you cannot afford to be without .....		4.00
NOV. 30		
PINK SUPREME. Strong growing pink anemone		4.00
DEC. 10		
RIVERIA. Deep luminous pink.....		6.00

*Novelties, Odd Form and Spider Varieties*

OCT. 1		
MARYLAND.	Large yellow incurved exhibition.....	16.00
OCT. 5		
BUTTERFLY.	Medium tube. Excellent yellow full double with good foliage and stem. Med. Hgt. ....	12.00
OCT. 15		
MAVIS ORANGE.	Excellent variety with stiff stems and flowers of good keeping quality. Quilled petals .....	10.00
OCT. 15		
ALABASTER.	Very early large English white. Good dis- budded. Very useful and very showy.....	10.00
OCT. 15		
MRS. DON MCIVOR.	Huge yellow exhibition English Mum. Strong grower. Very good variety.....	16.00
OCT. 15		
LEDA.	From the English group. A large heliotrope pink mum with beautifully rolled petals. Good disbudded. An excellent variety .....	10.00
OCT. 15		
SYLVIA.	Very choice pink spider mum. One of the very best early flowering kinds.....	16.00
OCT. 20		
ROSE PRINCESS.	Beautiful English introduction good disbudded or in sprays. An excellent variety.....	10.00
OCT. 20		
PURPLE PRINCESS.	Outstanding deep rose spider.....	10.00
OCT. 25		
GOOD GRACIOUS.	A large subdued yellow incurve in keeping with the name. Very novel.....	20.00
OCT. 25		
MAMORU.	Quilled deep orange. Fine show variety.....	10.00
OCT. 25		
KAY TASHIMA.	Huge pure white spider. When this va- riety is disbudded it is not at all unusual to get flowers fifteen inches in diameter. The long slender tubes are fishhooked.....	6.00

Our plants are priced per 100. Not less than 25 of a variety sold.  
Minimum order \$4.00

*Chrysanthemums*



*Novelties, Odd Form and Spider Varieties*

OCT. 25

**SOUVENIR.** Beautiful salmon pink. Very rare..... 20.00

OCT. 25

**BUNBU.** An exceedingly beautiful lavender tube with hooked tips. A distinct novelty..... 12.00

OCT. 25

**MARILYN.** A beautiful variety of lavender and old rose shadings. Good in pots, a dandy variety..... 6.00

OCT. 30

**WILLA TEMPLIN.** Ravishing golden bronze with hooked tips. Very large when disbudded..... 16.00

OCT. 30

**WAIKIKI.** A distinctly outstanding show variety in a bronze-gold spidery incurved mum. Huge flower, strong grower ..... 20.00

NOV. 1

**UNIQUE.** Very aptly named. Quilled petals of rich wine-red color ..... 20.00

NOV. 1

**PRIDE OF SUNNYSLOPE.** A more attractive spider mum is hard to find in this color. Deep rose pink with long drooping petals. Huge when disbudded, a fine show variety ..... 10.00

NOV. 1

**PRINCE CHARMING.** Huge Valencia type bloom. Wonderful show variety..... 10.00

NOV. 1

**OHKWAN.** Huge yellow spider mum. Good disbudded ... 6.00

NOV. 1

**FUGI. (THE WISTERIA).** Largest of the spider mums. Color is deep orchid lavender..... 10.00

NOV. 1

**TAGGART.** Very outstanding novelty. Quilled petals covered with hair..... 20.00

NOV. 5

**FANTASIA.** A large white flower most distinctive in type. Has a pronounced central disc..... 20.00

*Novelties, Odd Form and Spider Varieties*

NOV. 10

**LOUISE FRIED.** An outstanding brilliant red with long tubular petals. A distinct novelty..... 16.00

NOV. 10

**VIRGINIA.** When disbudded this makes a tremendous flower, very showy, and sure to attract a great deal of attention. It is a clear deep yellow, with very long quilled petals, opening at the tips to roll back or reflex part way. A very unusual variety. Blooms about November 10 to 20 but lasts so long we always have them for Christmas ..... 10.00

NOV. 10

**YOMEI.** Quilled golden petals terminating in red tips. Very popular cut flower ..... 6.00

DEC. 1

**WONDERLAND.** Beautiful dark pink quilled type. A marvelous keeper. Excellent for cutting..... 10.00

DEC. 1

**GOLDILOCKS.** Brilliant yellow spider. Slender tubular petals with hooked tips. Very full flower ..... 20.00

*Spoon Chrysanthemums*

OCT. 15

**ORCHID SPOON.** Lovely Cattleya shade of orchid pink. Excellent habits, strong grower, fine for cutting. Makes a good pot plant..... 6.00

OCT. 15

**BROWNEYES.** We do not know why they named this Browneyes, as it is a double spoon with deep gold center and shading to pink at the spooned tips. A very remarkable combination of colors for this type of flower ..... 16.00

OCT. 15

**JASPER SPOON.** A very unusual shade of crushed strawberry pink at the tip with light pink tubular center. Very unusual, an outstanding variety..... 6.00

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Minimum order \$4.00

*Spoon Chrysanthemums*

OCT. 15

GOLDEN SPOON. Bright buttercup yellow..... 6.00

OCT. 15

WHITE SPOON. A dazzling white with no shading or markings whatever. Last year many of you who wanted this could not get it. We have a heavy stock this year. .... 6.00

OCT. 15

GRACE. Dainty soft canary yellow flowers on sturdy stems. Each flower petal is a distinct spoon..... 6.00



A VASE OF CHRYSANTHEMUMS

*The Famous Cushion Chrysanthemums*

**THE FAMOUS CUSHIONS.** Called many things, including Amelia, Azalea, and Mound Mums, these plants form an attractive mound completely smothered in blooms. They are so popular, and so well known, that little need be said about them here. Very early, definitely an outdoor variety, yet said to be good as pot plants, the Cushion mums are a must in every retail establishment. Most people plant them too close together. They should be wide enough apart to permit proper spreading. We suggest four feet apart each way as the very closest they should be set.. While there are many variations of them, we have selected our plants for distinct color and good habits.

PINK CUSHION .....	4.00
WHITE CUSHION .....	4.00
RED CUSHION .....	4.00
BRONZE CUSHION .....	4.00
YELLOW CUSHION .....	6.00
NEW GOLD CUSHION. New clear yellow variety.....	10.00
LITTLE BOB. Outstanding very early red Cushion type..	6.00
CHAMPION CUSHION. Fine red cushion .....	6.00
APRICOT GLOW. The finest bronze cushion we have seen to date .....	10.00
LAVENDER LASSIE. A distinctive cushion type.....	12.00
PIGMY GOLD. Early Cushion type covered with yellow buttons .....	10.00
SERENE. Cushion type. Large white flowers on very vigorous clumps .....	10.00
HURLEY'S YELLOW SUPREME. New fine yellow in a cushion type .....	10.00
DAHLIAMUM. Desirable cushion-type variety covered with deep red flowers resembling a cactus dahlia....	8.00

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### *The Beautiful Cascades*

**NOV. 1**

**ANNA.** White single with gold center. Blooms two inches in diameter. Rank grower ..... 8.00

**NOV. 5**

**JANE HARTE.** Yellow sport of Anna ..... 8.00

**NOV. 5**

**MT. HOOD.** A new double white cascade, rather incurved when disbudded, by far the best white cascade we have ever seen. Excellent cut flower variety, forming purest white balls two to three inches in diameter. A wonderful show variety..... 20.00

**NOV. 5**

**CASCADES ASSORTED.** A mixture of several of the more common cascades ..... 6.00

#### **SUGGESTIONS FOR CULTURE OF CASCADES**

● **FOREWORD**—Plants to be used for cascading effects are chosen because of their natural habit of producing a bushy growth and strong, flexible stems clothed with an abundance of florescent splendor.

**SOILS**—Satisfactory results may be obtained by using a good, productive garden soil. Maximum results may best be had by the use of a compost prepared according to the specifications of any one of numerous formulae suitable for the purpose. We suggest that you try a mixture composed of one part well-rotted steer manure, one part thoroughly decomposed leaf mold and two parts fairly heavy loam.

**POTTING**—Upon arrival plant should be placed in a 4 or 6 inch pot, size to be determined by stage of root development. Subsequent changes to increasingly larger pots must be made as the need arises. Each change should be accomplished before roots have had an opportunity to become pot-bound. Normally, July 15th should find plant permanently established in a 10 or 12 inch pot.

**WATERING**—Space adequate for watering purposes must be left at top of pot. Watering should be attended to daily and sufficiently early to insure superficial dryness of foliage before nightfall.

**FERTILIZERS**—Although liquid fertilizers compounded from animal manure are considered old-fashioned and are in truth a bit messy in the manner of their making they are none the less effective when properly applied. Commercial fertilizers have come into general use, are readily available and convenient to handle. Your dealer is doubtless qualified to choose the one most suitable for your specific need should you elect to use some form of the latter.

**FEEDING**—The plant must be fed more or less sparingly at bi-weekly intervals. After each application of fertilizer careful study of the progress of growth being made by the plant and the condition of its foilage should give you a clue as to the amount and strength you need



apply with each subsequent application. Avoid overfeeding at all times. Discontinue feeding when buds begin to show color.

**TRAINING**—By taking advantage of its natural pliability and with proper manipulation this type of plant may be trained after a fashion to suit the individual taste. The heartshaped cascade seems to be in public favor at the time and it is chiefly to the method of its training that we devote the following with a word of admonition to bear in mind the fact that the basic principle of inducing widespread growth and maximum floescence remains the same regardless of the delineation of pattern desired.

When plant is 5 or 6 inches high pinch top. From new growth reserve uppermost shoot for use as main leader. Stop remaining shoots at second or third joint. Later divide equally and train to either side of main leader. It is often desirable to use but one shoot on each side of the main leader and remove the rest.

When main leader is 12 inches high train to a firmly imbedded No. 10 galvanized wire 4 feet in length previously bent, at a point 5 inches above surface level of pot, to an angle of 45 degrees. Outer tip of wire must face to north. Tie end of main leader to supporing wire at weekly intervals.

All laterals and sublaterals should be pinched systematically at every second or third joint throughout the growing season to insure spread of growth and symmetry of form. As plant increases in width additional support is necessary for the purpose of stablization.

To overcome the natural tendency of plant to develop blooms from extreme tip first with a perceptible movement toward base, discontinue routine pinching about Sept. 1st. On Sept. 5th complete final pinching of broadest one-third or basal division ,on Sept. 10th the midsectional one-third and on Sept. 15th the final one-third.

Gradually lower main leader so that it will be in a horizontal position about Sept. 15th. When buds begin to form, with surface of plant facing south, start gradual downward bending of main leader and its support. When buds show color place on solid base at required height and bend to final vertical position.

## *Varieties Listed As Hardy*

### Y E L L O W

#### SEP. 5

**SEPTEMBER GOLD.** Masses of firm round pompons.

Very showy. Good for cutting ..... 8.00

#### SEPT. 10

**EUGENE A WANDER.** Rather short stocky variety with golden yellow flowers. Good pot plant. Responds well to disbudding, and is a real prize as a cut flower 10.00

#### SEPT. 15

**OLD GOLD.** Truly an outstanding variety. Firm golden pompons with a keeping quality absolutely unsurpassed. In flower here on Sept. 15 we had blooms of this to show people as late as Nov. 10 in the open field after several hard frosts ..... 16.00

Minimum order \$4.00

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*Varieties Listed As Hardy*

## YELLOW

SEPT. 15

**ALGONQUIN.** Very showy deep yellow flowers. Tall grower. Excellent cut flower variety..... 6.00

SEPT. 15

**THALIA.** Dwarf yellow variety admired by everyone who sees it. Very showy variety..... 6.00

SEPT. 20

**KING MIDAS.** Golden flowers thru late September and October. Good cut flower..... 6.00

SEPT. 20

**YELLOW NORMANDY.** Excellent yellow cut flower variety ..... 6.00

OCT. 10

**MARION HATTON.** Very free flowering variety in a soft canary yellow. Remarkably resistant to frost..... 6.00

OCT. 15

**JUDITH ANDERSON.** Masses of golden yellow buttons. A MUST IN EVERY PLANTING ..... 6.00

OCT. 15

**EUREKA GIANT.** Showy yellow flowers. Very heavy producer. Fine for cutting. The name applies to the size plant rather than the bloom. Should be given PLENTY of room in beds or rows ..... 12.00

OCT. 15

**GOLDEN CHARM.** Another outstanding yellow pompon. Heavy grower. Firm round flowers two inches or more ..... 10.00

OCT. 15

**MRS. SAM ROTAN.** Beautiful large yellow blooms on very sturdy stems. Fine cut flower..... 8.00

OCT. 15

**PENELOPE.** Rich buttery yellow buttons in great profusion. Good growing habits ..... 6.00

OCT. 20

**GOLDEN QUEEN.** A tall yellow pompon of excellent habits. Fine for cutting..... 6.00

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*Varieties Listed As Hardy*

## WHITE

SEPT. 20

**AVALANCHE.** A pure white variety the breeders will have to go some to beat. Extra strong grower, producing fine cut flowers in great abundance..... 10.00

SEPT. 20

**SEPTEMBER CLOUD.** Beautifully rounded blossoms, purest white, with primrose shading in center, wonderfully dark green contrasting foliage. Nicely rounded compact plant completely covered with flowers from mid September to frost. (Description is from WAYSIDE GARDENS CATALOG.) Very satisfactory variety..... 10.00

SEPT. 20

**INNOCENCE.** Good single white KOREAN..... 6.00

SEPT. 20

**LITTLE ESKIMO.** Good white pompon..... 10.00

SEPT. 20

**JEAN CUMMING.** Beautiful ivory white decorative type. Good for cutting ..... 6.00

SEPT. 20

**NORTH STAR.** Very showy new single white..... 12.00

OCT. 10

**EARLIWHITE.** Early white pompon. Excellent for cutting. Hardy here ..... 6.00

OCT. 15

**SILVER MOON.** "This gleaming white chrysanthemum has a degree of warmth and intensity that is entirely new, and for which there is a real need. No other kind like it!!! No other attains such early perfection! The double milk white petals combine with the pale yellow central halo to suggest the play of soft moonbeams. A showier Shasta Daisy in effect; mild, sweet fragrance, remarkably contrasting dark green foliage, a fine lusty plant producing flowers from September on, equal to the finest greenhouse product, yet unusually frost resistant. These are the outstanding qualities of "SILVER MOON." Description is from WAYSIDE GARDENS catalog. We would add that it is very hardy ..... 6.00

*Varieties Listed As Hardy*

## W H I T E

OCT. 15		
SILVER.	Ball shaped white pompon with tightly cupped petals .....	6.00
OCT. 15		
IRENE.	Very popular white button .....	4.00
OCT. 15		
SILVER BALL.	Pure white large pompon, excellent in every way. In our opinion the best white cut flower for about this date .....	4.00
OCT. 15		
WHITE JEWEL.	Popular white button .....	4.00
OCT. 15		
POLAR ICE.	Very desirable clear glistening blue-white without a trace of cream color. Very purest white. A very outstanding variety .....	12.00
OCT. 15		
SERENE.	Large white flowers on very vigorous bushy clumps .....	10.00

## P I N K

SEPT. 10		
EARLY JOAN HELEN.	Large flowers of rich garnet hue, with bright yellow center .....	10.00
SEPT. 10		
APRICOT GLOW.	Listed under CUSHIONS. See p. 18 ...	10.00
SEPT. 15		
DEAN KAY.	Mounds of beautiful pink flowers .....	6.00
SEPT. 15		
CORAL SEA.	Outstanding new variety in salmon-buff. Very strong grower .....	12.00
SEPT. 20		
EARLY WONDER.	Unusual variety with beautiful round pompons on strong stems, a very heavy producer .....	8.00
SEPT. 20		
ROSE GLOW.	Sweet scented pink blooms completely covering plant. Very showy variety .....	10.00

*Varieties Listed As Hardy*

## PINK

SEPT. 20

**BARBARA SMALL.** Double three inch flowers of clear rose-pink. Very strong grower..... 12.00

SEPT. 20

**LAVENDER LASSIE.** A low cushion type also listed under CUSHIONS. Beautiful lavender buttons..... 12.00

OCT. 1

**PINK RADIANCE.** Large double pink blooms on long stems. One of the best new Bristol introductions..... 10.00

OCT. 1

**REMBRANDT.** Free flowering double blooms of coppery-rose-mauve on stocky upright clumps..... 20.00

OCT. 10

**COUNTRY GIRL.** Large single pink. Outstanding cut flower. Very strong grower ..... 4.00

OCT. 10

**PEACH BLOSSOM.** Lovely pink pompons on tall strong stem. A fine cut flower, and very showy..... 10.00

OCT. 10

**KRISTINA.** A Northland Daisy. Large flowers with long wide petals of deep rose-pink..... 10.00

OCT. 15

**MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT III.** Of this variety WAY-SIDE GARDENS says: "The quality of iridescence is so pronounced in this new Chrysanthemum that accurate description is difficult. The dominate shade is a soft peach tint blended with mauve undertones: the whole overcast with a luminous sheen. It is entirely distinct and lovely. The large, full, perfectly formed flowers are carried on tall branching stems. In full flower in early October, it will prove a grand addition to the garden, and an invaluable cut flower variety." All we can add is that it should be planted generously in every planting ..... 8.00

OCT. 15

**LAVENDER LADY.** Perfect fragrant flowers in a true lavender, strong grower, heavy branching habit, one of the very best. Unusually hardy..... 8.00



*Varieties Listed As Hardy***PINK****OCT. 15****JEWEL.** Extremely desirable pink pompon. Very fine cut flower ..... 4.00**OCT. 15****HESTIA.** Immense single flowers on strong stems..... 6.00**OCT. 15****HEBE.** Outstanding pink Korean variety..... 6.00**OCT. 15****JEAN TREADWAY.** Sparkling pink pompon on bushy long-stemmed plants ..... 6.00**BRONZE AND RED****SEPT. 10****APRICOT GLOW.** Listed under CUSHIONS. See p. 18 10.00**SEPT. 10****FIREGLOW.** Oriental red, very showy..... 12.00**SEPT. 10****SEPTEMBER BRONZE.** Beautiful round pompons of rich orange-bronze. An outstanding variety in every way. Sept. to hard killing frost ..... 10.00**SEPT. 20****WILLIAM LONGLAND.** Beautiful clear bronze flowers ..... 10.00**SEPT. 20****GLOMERO.** Fine orange-bronze pompons on strong stems ..... 10.00**SEPT. 20****DAHLIAMUM.** Extremely desirable variety covered with deep red flowers resembling a cactus dahlia..... 8.00**OCT. 1****BURMA.** Brilliant glistening orange with coppery undertones. Long stems for cutting ..... 12.00**OCT. 5****MANDALAY.** Deep orange-bronze. Excellent for cutting ..... 12.00**OCT. 5****BONFIRE.** Very fine deep red pompons of great beauty. A really fine variety..... 6.00

*Varieties Listed As Hardy*

## RED AND BRONZE

OCT. 5

**CHIPPEWA.** Very dark pink incurved flowers of three inches or more. A recent introduction of great merit. Good for cutting. Sturdy grower..... 10.00

OCT. 10

**NANCY COPELAND.** Glowing red semi-double. Excellent as a cut flower. Very showy..... 6.00

OCT. 10

**BURGUNDY.** Rich cerise crimson flowers on strong stems. A very impressive variety..... 6.00

OCT. 10

**REDGOLD.** Deep Brazil-red two inch blooms on strong stems. Very sturdy grower..... 12.00

OCT. 10

**RED VELVET.** Fine erect plant with double dark red flowers. Fine for cutting. Bunches easily. A top-notch variety in every way ..... 10.00

OCT. 10

**RUBY POMPON.** Oftimes those who write descriptions of flowers are prone to let their imagination run away with them, and they can write a flowery description of about anything they have to use for material. Here, however, is a variety that should lead them a merry chase to do it justice. Just let us say that it is the best red of this type we have ever seen. Truly a pompon with good stem and foliage, a strong producer, this variety could hold its own among the entire field of reds. Early enough to be of real value to the open patch, Ruby Pompon could easily be listed as ONE OF THE BEST. Crimson flowers on strong stems, good for cutting, and bunches nicely. If you want a real good red for Early October, plant plenty of Ruby Pompon..... 8.00

OCT. 10

**RED RIDING HOOD.** Large red flowers, good grower, good for cutting. A really beautiful variety..... 10.00

OCT. 10

**VULCAN.** Single red Korean ..... 6.00

OCT. 15

**OURAY.** Dazzling red button. Strong grower..... 6.00

*Chrysanthemums*

*Varieties Listed As Hardy*

## RED AND BRONZE

OCT. 15		
MERCURY.	Deep red Korean single.....	6.00
OCT. 15		
LOUISE SCHLING.	Desirable flaming red .....	6.00
OCT. 15		
CRIMSON SPLENDOR.	Masses of large glistening red flowers on sturdy stems .....	6.00
OCT. 15		
MISS FRANCIS WHITTLESAY.	This variety is also listed under large commercial disbud varieties. It can be grown either way, as we have found ready sale for the disbud blooms. It is a very strong grow- er, with stiff stems and quantities of glistening vel- vety red flowers of a decorative type. When disbud- ed, the petals are reflexed. Grown either way, it is a dandy variety, and should be freely used in every planting where a real showy red is needed....	6.00
OCT. 15		
CALIPH.	For intensity of color, this variety cannot be equaled. The color is a rich oxblood red with a velvety sheen or glow so prominent that it stands out conspicuously among all other chrysanthemums of this color group. Excellent for cutting.....	6.00
OCT. 15		
EMBER.	Few varieties exceed this in sheer beauty. Glistening amber-red. Very fine cut flower.....	6.00
OCT. 20		
GOBLIN.	Graceful sprays of good pompons on strong stems. A very strong grower .....	6.00
OCT. 20		
BRONZE BEAUTY.	Well-formed pompons on sturdy stems. One of the best late bronze pompons.....	6.00

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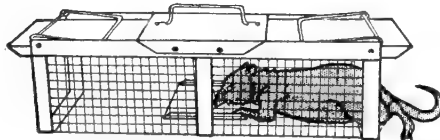
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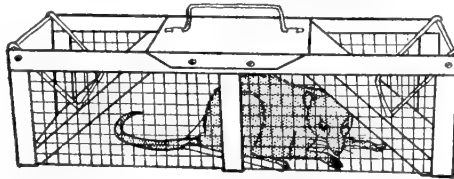
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**"HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS" BY ALEX CUMMING. \$2.50 POSTPAID. (SEE REVIEW ON THIS BOOK BY SOUTHERN FLORIST & NURSERYMAN.)—REPRINT BELOW.)**

"Hardy Chrysanthemums," by Alex Cumming; the American Garden Guild, 202 pages, many illustrations; price \$2.50.

This is a revised edition of this popular book, first issued in 1939. Of it J. T. Thompson, commercial mum man at Ellerson, Va., who is himself advertising the book, says, "Here is a book you must have if you grow chrysanthemums. It tells you everything you need to know about handling chrysanthemums."

Contributing a foreword, Richardson Wright, after commenting on the author's achievements as a geneticist, goes on to say:

"This would seem to be work enough for one man. Now he has written about it. Here is an entire book devoted to the hybridizing, raising, and care of hardy chrysanthemums. In the words of the scientific world, it is a monograph, the first monograph on this subject. Unlike the general run of scientific monographs, it is brilliantly written, packed full of easily digested gardening information, and is guaranteed to open new worlds of hardy chrysanthemum beauty to all who read it."

The chapter headings will give an idea of the book's scope: "Hardy Mums in the Garden"; History of the Garden Chrysanthemum"; "Species, Types and Varieties"; "Culture"; "Diseases and Insects"; "Propagation"; "Chrysanthemum Breeding"; "Reminiscing"; "Recommended Varieties." The chapter on culture is perhaps the longest, and takes up various phases of growing. One of the subheadings is "Garden Chrysanthemums in the South and Southwest."

**"GARDEN & GREENHOUSE CHRYSANTHEMUMS" BY PROF. ALEX LAURIE AND D. C. KIPLINGER—\$2.00 POSTPAID (SEE REVIEW BELOW)**

**REVISED BOOK BRINGS MUM CULTURE UP TO DATE**

"Chrysanthemums," by Alex Laurie and D. C. Kiplinger, 123 pages, illustrated; A. T. De La Mare Co., Inc., \$2.

This revision of the book of 15 years ago brings the information up to date, taking account of various cultural practices which were little known when the original book was written. Among these are soil-sterilization, shading, and extending the hours of daylight artificially. Late discoveries of effects of temperature on flowering, the use of disease-free cuttings, and the production of quality by specific methods of pinching, come in for attention. The hardy chrysanthemum and its greater popularity as a result of the improvements made by present-day breeders is given a chapter.

The aim of the authors has been to present the up-to-date information which enable the grower to produce mums of top quality—something, they say, which the keen competition of the postwar era is going to demand.

Chapters are devoted to the history of chrysanthemums; the different classes; soils, fertilizers and gravel culture; greenhouse culture, insect and diseases, potted mums, growing in cloth houses, mum breeding and the uses of mums.

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## *Care of the Chrysanthemums*

Visitors at our Nurseries always ask how we get plants to stay bushy and self-supporting, while theirs sprangle and sprawl all over the place. We offer them some good advice which goes in one ear and out the other, since they won't believe that the plants will bloom if pinched or cut back so much. We try to follow the plan NOT OVER TWELVE INCHES HIGH BY MID-JULY. Some varieties are better if pinched or cut back yet again after that, while some would do better if let go earlier. These things one must discover working with the varieties. After the first topping three to five "breaks" or branches should appear. These in turn should be topped after they have two or three leaves, by removing the growing tip. Strong stocky plants will result, plants that will make a better show, and yield much better flowers if you want them for cutting. This stopping process DOES NOT APPLY TO THE MOUND VARIETIES KNOWN AS CUSHION MUMS. They are self branching, and do not need pinching at all.

We believe that while the Chrysanthemum will flourish in nearly any soil, a little insurance in the form of a complete fertilizer is a good policy. Apply as soon after planting as new growth sets in, and work in well. Use sparingly, applying more often.

Chrysanthemums that are being grown for cut flowers will have to be staked or tied in some manner to support them. Heavy with rain and dew, a little wind will knock them over, soiling the blooms. We like to drive stakes at intervals of every few feet, running twine or wire down each side of the row, crossing at each stake. If properly installed, this simple method will save a lot of blooms.

While chrysanthemums grown in the open are nearly free of insect pests, it may be necessary to spray for rollers and certain other pests.

